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INFO IMMEDIATE FOR BONN ONLY

E.O.11652: GDS  
TAGS: EEC UR PLOS EFIS  
SUBJECT: EC/SOVIET FISHERY NEGOTIATIONS: THE BERLIN ANGLE

REF: (A) EC BRUSSELS 1599 (B) BONN 3015

1. FRG PERMDEL OFFICIAL VON BRUEHL CALLED US AFTER RECESS IN SOVIET-EC FISHERIES NEGOTIATIONS TODAY TO SAY THAT NOTHING HAD BEEN INTRODUCED BY THE EC SIDE DURING THE NEGOTIATIONS WHICH WOULD PREJUDICE ONGOING DISCUSSIONS IN BONN GROUP ON THE BERLIN CLAUSE. WHAT THE EC NEGOTIATORS PLACED ON THE TABLE AT THIS MORNING'S SESSION WITH THE SOVIETS WAS A PAPER ENTITLED "ELEMENTS FOR A DRAFT FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT." THESE ELEMENTS RELATED ONLY TO THE PREAMBLE AND FIRST SIX ARTICLES OF A DRAFT AGREEMENT AND DEALT STRICTLY WITH FISHERIES MATTERS.

2. BRUEHL FURTHER COMMENTED THAT WHILE THERE WAS GENERAL "ASTONISHMENT" ON THE EC SIDE THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD THUS  
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FAR PROVED TO BE REASONABLY AGREEABLE, SOME FROM THE EC EXPERTS GROUP ARE FAR FROM CONVINCED THAT THE BALL GAME IS OVER AND STRONGLY SUSPECT

THAT THE REAL DIFFICULTIES WITH THE SOVIETS WILL EMERGE WHEN THE NEGOTIATIONS ARE RESUMED ON FEBRUARY 28. MORRIS

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